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In re Patent Application of:
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For: A STRUCTURE AND METHOD FOR
INCREASING PROPRIOCEPTIVE
DEMANDS ON FOOT, ANKLE AND
LOWER LEG

Examiner: Crow, Stephen R.

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed December 14, 2006, Applicant hereby provisionally elects, without traverse, claims 9-13 for continued examination.

No fee is believed due with this response. In the event a fee is required, the Patent Office is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 50-2215.

In view of the foregoing, consideration and allowance of the application is respectfully requested.

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